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MUHLENBERG COUNTY METH DEALER SENTENCED TO 7 YEARS IN PRISON

David L. Huber, United States Attorney for the Western District of Kentucky, announced today that **BRUCE WAYNE EMBRY**, age 38 of 1370 McIntosh Road, Greensville, Kentucky, in Muhlenberg County, **was sentenced** to 7 years in United States District Court, Owensboro, Kentucky, for possession of methamphetamine with intent to distribute, and carrying a firearm in furtherance of a drug trafficking crime. Joseph H. McKinley, Jr., Judge, United States District Court, also sentenced **Embry** 6 years supervised release following incarceration. **There is no parole in the federal judicial system.**

U.S. Attorney Huber praised the actions of the Kentucky State Police in the arrest of a meth dealer using a pistol. The drugs and firearms were discovered after an undercover “sting” investigation by the Kentucky State Police resulted in the arrest of **Embry** and another man, **Embry’s** cousin, **Mark Embry**, who previously pled guilty to similar charges, for attempting to buy pseudoephedrine in order to manufacture methamphetamine. **Embry** pled guilty and admitted that on August 15, 2005, in Daviess County, Kentucky, he possessed approximately 2.2 grams of methamphetamine (street value \$200) with intent to distribute it, and that during and in relation to that drug trafficking crime, he carried a Jennings-Bryco .380 caliber semiautomatic pistol.

The case was prosecuted by Assistant United States Attorney Larry Fentress and was

investigated by the Kentucky State Police.

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